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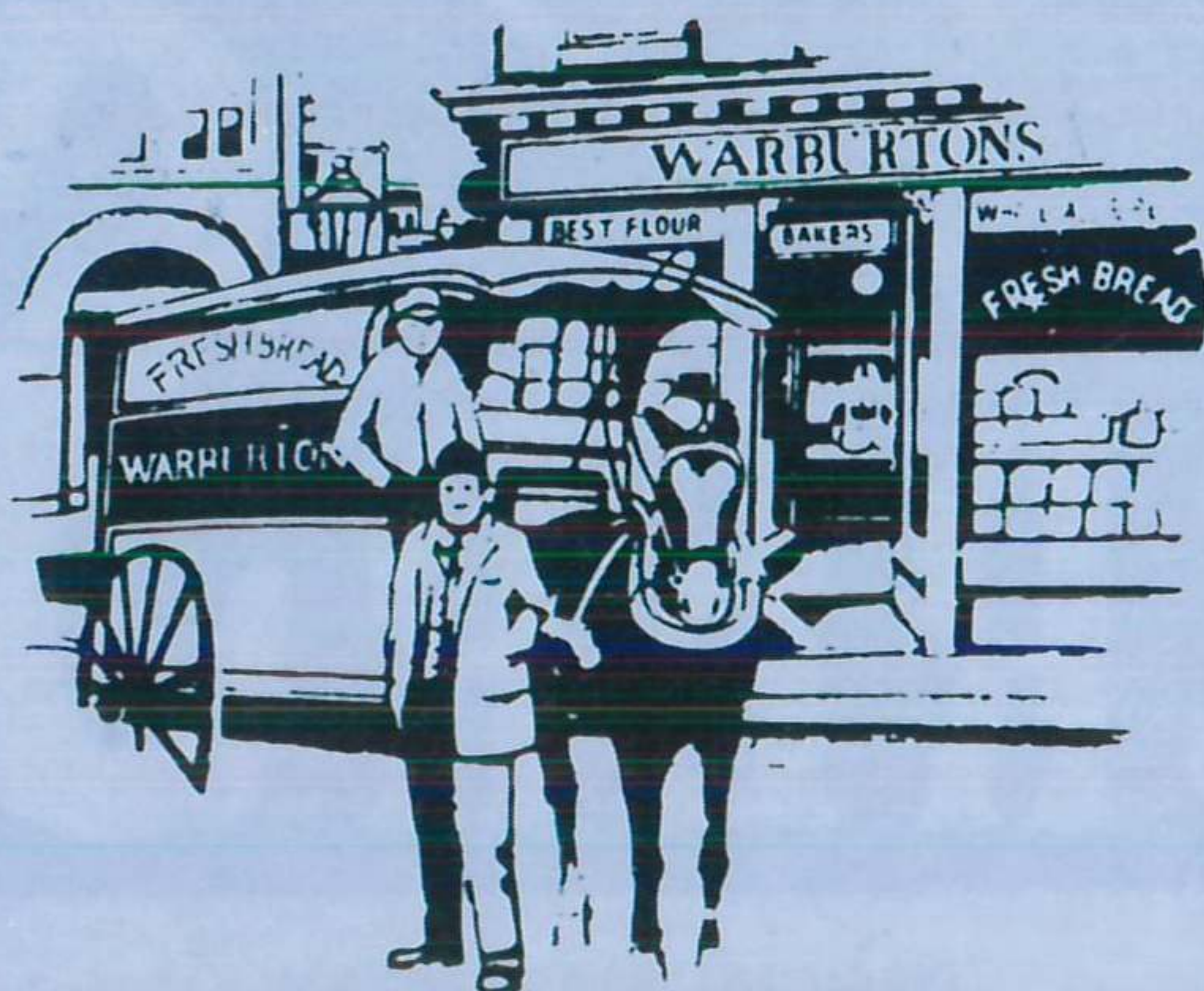
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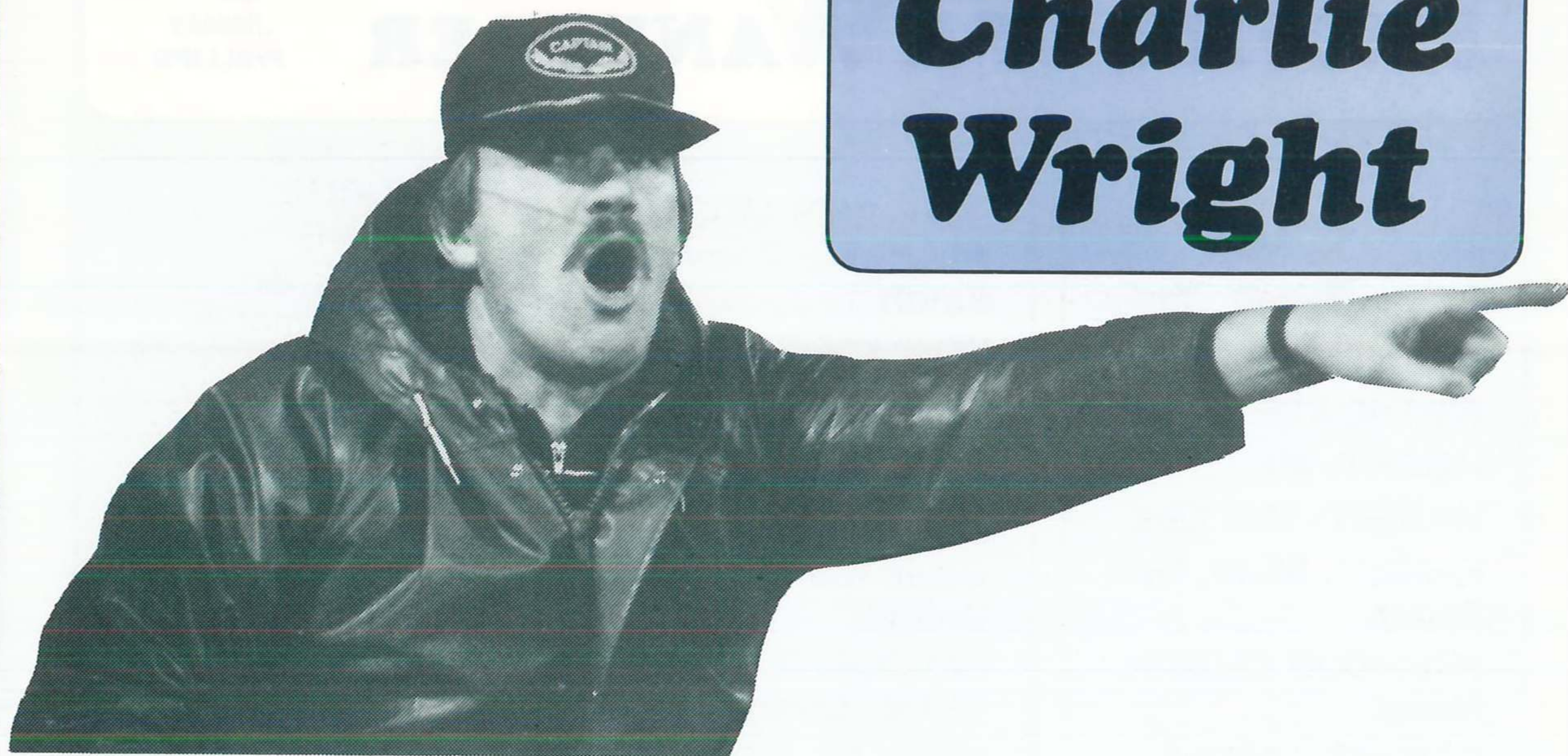
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Without playing particularly well on Saturday we got the result we were looking for and I'm sure the three points and the improvement in our League position gave the fans something to cheer.

I was pleased with the result and delighted that the goal was scored in the way it was. You always work on set plays like that but they don't always come off. This time it did and it was very pleasing to see.

I've made it clear over the last couple of weeks or so that, having had some bad results, it's really the winning that counts. It is points we need more than anything else at the moment and I'm sure that if we can keep the rhythm going then gradually things will start to improve performance wise, which is what we all want.

People suggested after Saturday's game that we should have done better playing against ten men in the second half but there are many situations in football where a team of ten does

better than expected. Looking back to our game at Walsall earlier in the season I don't recall us being overrun or broken down too often and we only had nine men on the field for much of the second half.

When you're down to ten everyone runs a yard faster and everyone compensates for the handicap.

So on to tonight's game and welcome to Cyril Knowles and his Darlington lads. We had a fair old game with them last season here in the Freight Rover Trophy.

They were going well then and as we know they won promotion — and deserved it. But on the night they came to Burnden we proved a touch too strong for them, winning the tie 2-1.

A repeat of that performance will satisfy me tonight.

I hope you all enjoy the game.

Front Cover: Derek Scott in action.



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No. 11
JIMMY
PHILLIPS



BIRTHPLACE: Bolton

BIRTHDATE: 8.2.66.

HEIGHT: 6ft.

WEIGHT: 12st 2lbs.

FAMILY: Mum, Dad
Sister.

PREVIOUS CLUBS:
None.

**STRIKERS MOST
ADMIRE:** Ian Rush,
Kenny Dalglish.

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ADMIRE:** Glenn
Hoddle, Bryan
Robson.

**DEFENDER MOST
ADMIRE:** Tommy
Smith.

**GOALKEEPER MOST
ADMIRE:** Ray
Clemence.

**PLAYER FOR
FUTURE:** Mark
Gavin (Carlisle
United).

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TEAM:** Liverpool.

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Kevin Keegan.

**MOST MEMORABLE
MATCH:** Our 2-2
draw at Shrewsbury
in the Milk Cup last
season.

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SPORTING
MOMENT:** Ian
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winning
performance at
Headingley in the
Test match against
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DARLINGTON

INJURIES RAVAGE DARLINGTON

by Tony Pullein

Darlington's chances of establishing themselves in the Third Division, following last season's fine promotion effort, have been ravaged by injuries and illness. A worried manager Cyril Knowles has often wondered where he was going to find 11 fit players. Indeed, two matches have had to be called off because the club literally could not field a complete team of fit men.

Mr Knowles has had to loan players from rival clubs, call upon some youngsters and coach Clive Nattress, who retired from League soccer almost five years ago, turned out in a couple of games in a desperate attempt to keep the club going.

With the season only a third completed, Mr Knowles has used 23 different players in his first-team.

In these circumstances it is not difficult to appreciate why Darlington are in dire trouble at the foot of the Third Division. Prior to their visit to Wolves last Saturday, they had won only twice in 14 League games — at home to Blackpool (2-1) and Cardiff (4-1).

Their solitary away point was collected at Gillingham (1-1) in August but they were beaten in their next six away League games at Doncaster (0-2), Wigan (1-5), Chesterfield (0-1), Bournemouth (2-4), York City (0-7) and Bristol City (0-1).

The one bright spot was a brief success in the Milk Cup. After winning their first round first-leg home tie against Scunthorpe by 3-2, they achieved a goalless draw at Scunthorpe to qualify for a second round game with First Division Ipswich Town. They lost 1-3 at Portman Road and 1-4 at Feethams.

All is by no means lost, of course, but however you like to look at it, Darlington have a mighty big task on hand if they are to pull clear of the bottom four places. For the Quakers, success this season would be to achieve 20th place in the table.

Immediate relegation would have a devastating effect upon the club. They had been perpetual members of the Fourth Division since 1967 until last season's exhilarating displays earned them third place in the table. They don't particularly fancy another long stint like that in the League's basement.

Mr Knowles, the former Tottenham and England full-back, revitalised the Darlington club when he took over as manager in 1983. For years we had become accustomed to seeing the Quakers stage virtually an annual fight against having to apply for re-election. They were forced to make five such applications during their last stay in Division Four.

At one point it seemed likely the club would follow the likes of Barrow, Bradford P.A. and Southport into the oblivion of non-League football.

The club was formed in 1882 and became one of the founder members of the Football League's Third Division (North) in 1921. They finished runners-up in their first season but in those days only the top club was promoted.

But in 1925 they won the individual championship and stepped proudly into the Second Division. They remained for just two seasons and, sadly, they have never returned to Second Division football.

When the regional divisions were re-organised in 1958, Darlington found themselves in the Fourth Division and they remained there until winning promotion in 1966. But their life as a Third Division club was short-lived and, twelve months later, they found themselves back in the basement where they remained until winning promotion this year.

THE DARLINGTON SQUAD

FRED BARBER (Goalkeeper). Fred is a former Darlington apprentice who has been on permanent duty since being introduced to their League eleven in 1982/83. Last season he celebrated his

100th League appearance and he has missed only one game over the past two-and-a-half years.

CHRIS EVANS (Defender). Chris is a recent signing from York City. He began as an apprentice with Arsenal but didn't make the senior team at Highbury. He moved on to Stoke City but, again, spent his time in the reserves. It was after joining York in 1982 that he got his chance in League football.

GARY MORGAN (Defender). Gary joined Darlington this summer after spending the past two seasons in the Scottish League with Berwick Rangers.

JOHN GREEN (Defender). John is a very experienced left-back who recently joined the club from Scunthorpe United. He played on the right flank when he started his League career with Rotherham in 1975. John completed well over 250 games for the Millers before moving on to Scunthorpe in 1983.

STEVE CARNEY (Defender). Steve was spotted playing for Blyth Spartans and Newcastle signed him for £3,000. He made his League debut for the Magpies during the 1979/80 campaign and he went on to make well over 150 senior appearances for the St James Park club. Last season he spent a short time on loan to Carlisle and he was transferred to Darlington during the close-season.

JOHN HUNTLEY (Defender). John joined Darlington under the government's youth training scheme and he made his League debut at York last month.

PAUL WARD (Defender/Midfield). Paul served his apprenticeship with Chelsea but when his prospects of getting into the first-team seemed remote, he decided to emigrate to New Zealand. When he returned to England he joined Middlesbrough and made his League debut for them in 1982/83. Paul made almost 100 first-team appearances for the Borough before moving on to Darlington this season.



Back row, left to right: Peter Robinson (retired), John Huntley, Fred Barber, Garry MacDonald, Malcolm Poskett.
Centre row: Bob Farrelly (Physio), Gary Haire, Carl Airey, Mark Forster (retired), Phil Lloyd, David Woodcock, Graeme Aldred, Gary Bell (no longer with club).
Front row: Steve Carney, Dave McLean, Cyril Knowles (Manager), John Craggs (Player/Coach), Steve Tupling, Gary Morgan.

GRAEME ALDRED (Defender/Midfielder). Graeme originally joined Darlington as a non-contract player and he was introduced to their senior side during last season's successful Fourth Division promotion campaign.

STEVE TUPLING (Midfield). Steve didn't get a chance to play in Carlisle's first-team but it didn't take him long to earn a place in Darlington's side last season. He missed only seven games during their promotion run.

DAVID McLEAN (Midfield). David played for England schoolboys and was signed by Newcastle United. He made his League debut for the Magpies in 1975/76 and was transferred to Carlisle two years later. Since joining Darlington in 1979, he has been a fixture in their midfield and he now looks back on more than 300 games for the club. David is the Quakers' penalty-taker and had converted three spot-kicks prior to last weekend's game.

DAVID WOODCOCK (Midfield). David was a Sunderland apprentice but he was

not around long enough to compete for a first-team place at Roker. He joined Darlington this summer and took his bow in League soccer, as substitute, at Gillingham in August.

ALAN ROBERTS (Midfield). Alan served his apprenticeship with Middlesbrough and got his League baptism with them in 1983/84. He won a regular place in their Second Division side last season and moved on to Darlington this term.

GARY PALLISTER (Midfield). Gary is another former Middlesbrough player. He made his League debut for them on the opening day of this season at Wimbledon and was transferred to Darlington last month.

CARL AIREY (Forward). Carl was the club's leading scorer with 17 goals last season and was joint-top with five this term prior to last Saturday's game at Wolves. He began his career with Barnsley, making his League debut in 1982/83. He spent a loan period with Bradford City in 1983/84 and moved on to Darlington in 1984.

GARRY MacDONALD (Forward). Garry made his first appearance in League soccer for Middlesbrough against Brighton in 1980 and went on to complete more than 50 League games for the Borough before moving on to Carlisle during the summer of 1984. His stay at Brunton Park was short, however, and within weeks he was a Darlington player.

MALCOLM POSKETT (Forward). Malcolm's colourful career has taken many ups and downs. He was released by Middlesbrough after only one substitute's appearance and joined Whitby Town. When Hartlepool signed him in 1976 they paid the princely sum of £25! But his consistent scoring over two seasons brought Hartlepool £60,000 when they sold him to Brighton. In 1980 he moved on to Watford for £120,000 but, after topping their goals list with 21 in 1980/81, he found himself out of favour. Carlisle signed him for £20,000 in 1982 and he was their top scorer with 19 goals in 1983/84. Darlington signed him this summer.

CLUB NEWS

In Retrospect

Darlington come to Burnden Park tonight for their first ever visit for a football league game. Whilst our paths cross for the first time in the league we have faced each other in two other competitions, the football league cup and the Freight Rover Trophy.

The league cup third round tie took place in November 1960 at Feethams and attracted a record crowd of 21,023. Darlington at the time were in the fourth division and had already knocked out first division West Ham United in the previous round by 3-2. The Wanderers on the other hand, then in the first division, were on a hiding to nothing on their trip to the North East.

Darlington looked liked causing another upset in the inaugural league cup season when they took the lead after 16 minutes when from a Morton cross, Rayment volleyed past Hopkinson. Things got worse for Bolton when they had to shuffle the side after an injury to Graham Stanley. There were no substitutes in those days but Stanley managed to continue and Bolton were unlucky not to equalise before half time when both Nat Lofthouse and Doug Holden had efforts cleared off the line.

The Wanderers pressure started to tell in the second half, Lofthouse striking the bar with a snapshot before Roy Hartle equalised his free kick slipping through Darlington keeper Tinsley's hands.

Bolton's winning goal didn't come until the final minute when Freddie Hill rounded the home defence to put Doug Holden clear to score and give the Wanderers a 2-1 win.

The two sides for that first ever game between the clubs were: Bolton: Hopkinson, Hartle, Cooper, Stanley, Higgins, Cunliffe, Holden, Lofthouse, McAdams, Stevens, Hill.

Darlington: Tinsley, Henderson, Mulholland, Furphy, Greener, Spencer, Rayment, Milner, Robson, Baxter, Morton.

More recently the two clubs faced each other in the quarter finals (Northern Section) of the Freight Rover Trophy here at Burnden. History repeated itself in that Darlington again took the lead and ended losing 2-1 thanks to a last minute goal in a game that took place last April.

Garry MacDonald opened the scoring for the North Easterners after only 7 minutes when he knocked the ball home from close range after the Wanderers defence had failed to clear the danger.

Darlington had reached the quarter finals of the competition by virtue of their high scoring in the previous rounds and they could have increased their lead before Bolton got back into the game.

Steve Thompson was the creator for the equaliser playing a perfect ball into the path of George Oghani, who made no mistake, shooting past the helpless Fred Barber. In the second half it was Barber who was the busier of the two keepers, Jeff Chandler testing him on a number of occasions from long range. It was Chandler who set up Bolton's winning goal in the last minute when his back heel wrong footed the Darlington defence and the ball skidded across the six yard box for George Oghani to shoot home from point blank range.

The two sides for that game were:

Bolton: Farnworth, Booth, Phillips, Joyce, Valentine, Deakin, Thompson, Chandler, Oghani, Caldwell, Rudge. Subs: Bailey, Walker.

Darlington: Barber, C. Smith, Johnson, Tupling, K. Smith, Lloyd, McMahon, Forster, MacDonald, Cook, McLean. Subs: Airey, Todd.

Between these two cup games the Wanderers visited Darlington for a pre-season game in August 1980 which ended goalless. Dennis Peacock played his first game in a Wanderers' shirt after his £70,000 signing from Doncaster.

In Reserve

23rd October 1985 Bolton Wanderers Res 1 Preston North End Res 1

The Wanderers reserves, despite fielding a strong side, slipped up against lowly Preston reserves at Burnden. George Shepherd fired Bolton into the lead after only 43 seconds when he sent a rasping shot that evaded North End keeper Kelly.

Unfortunately the lead was short lived as North End equalised in the 4th minute when Rodgers let fly from 25 yards, the ball bouncing awkwardly and going into the net off keeper Glen Campbell.



MIKE WHITLOW

A minute later the Wanderers almost went back in front when George Oghani headed a Mike Whitlow cross onto the crossbar but the goal glut that looked possible never materialised. The game became scrappy and Paul Fitzpatrick went into the ref's notebook for a foul on Rodgers, the same player going into the notebook a minute later when he floored Roger Walker.

George Oghani had a couple of chances early in the second half which were well saved by Kelly and it wasn't until the last ten minutes of the game that Bolton looked capable of grabbing a winner. A Julian Darby corner created havoc in the Preston defence, firstly Walker than Mark Came seeing headers cleared off the line. In the final minute Simon Rudge headed wide, from close in, which proved it just wasn't Bolton's evening.

Team: Campbell, Fitzpatrick, Whitlow, Shepherd, Came, Darby, Walker, Oghani, McCarty, Rudge, Allen. Sub Howard for McCarty.

Down memory lane

15 years ago 4th November 1970. Jimmy McIlroy was appointed team manager to be assisted on the coaching side by Jim Conway and Eddie Hopkinson. Nat Lofthouse remained in overall control as club manager with administrative responsibilities.

7th November 1970. McIlroy made a number of changes for his first team selection with Norwich visiting Burnden. Out went John Byrom, Gordon Taylor and Paul Fletcher and in came Garry Jones, John Manning and Roy Greaves.

Unfortunately it was not the Wanderers day as Norwich won the game by a single goal scored by Ken Foggo after 77 minutes. It was hotly disputed by Bolton as the linesman was flagging when the move, culminating in the goal, had been started. Bolton struck the crossbar twice, including a Ronnie Phillips effort in the last minute and he had three efforts cleared off the line.

Preston North End showed an interest in Gordon Taylor who remained on the transfer list after playing in the reserves' 1-1 draw at Newcastle.

10 years ago 4th November 1975. Bolton went to the top of the Second Division for the first time that season with a 4-1 win over Portsmouth at Burnden.

Paul Jones headed the Wanderers into a 4th minute lead and despite the crowds chants of "easy" lowly Portsmouth came back into the game and equalised after half an hour. A poor back pass from Tony Dunne was punished by Chris Kamara and Bolton had to wait until the 62nd minute before regaining the lead. Garry Jones whacked the ball into the net with a brutal first time shot and ten minutes later the same player netted the third with a simple tap in after being set up by John Byrom. Neil Whatmore headed Bolton's fourth goal after some Peter Thompson magic and had bemused the Pompey defence.

The game attracted a seasons best gate to date of 18,538 over a thousand up on the crowd for the derby game with Blackpool three days earlier.

8th November 1975. Bolton visited Blackburn Rovers as the home side celebrated their centenary with a pulsating local derby that produced three bookings in the first quarter of an hour. A 1-1 draw resulted as the Wanderers increased their unbeaten run to 14 games.

The talking point of the game was a world class save from Rovers keeper Roger Jones three minutes from the interval. He somehow managed to turn a powerful Paul Jones header round the foot of the post that already had the Wanderers fans shouting "goal". By then both goals had been scored, Garry Jones putting Bolton in front in the 34th minute and Graham Oates equalising two minutes later.

5th years ago 4th November 1980. Bolton entertained Dutch first division side Haarlem in a friendly game. After winning 1-0 in a pre-season game in Holland the Wanderers did the double with a 5-0 victory. Gerry McElhinney got onto the scoresheet with a couple of goals whilst Mike Bennett, David Hoggan and Peter Reid completed the rout. It could have been more as Reid also missed a penalty.

8th November 1980. Bolton returned to league football with a visit to Watford. David Hoggan kept his place in attack with Mike Carter injured and it was Hoggan that fired the Wanderers into a 17th minute lead with a brilliant solo effort.

After being well on top it all fell apart when a mistake by Mike Walsh allowed Malcolm Poskett to grab a gift equaliser.

The second half belonged to Watford as the Wanderers couldn't regain their early momentum. The home side eventually ran out 3-1 winners with further goals coming from John Ward and Wilf Rostron.

CLUB NEWS

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Junior White News



Tonight's mascot is Ian Smith of Lismore Ave, Ladybridge, Bolton. Ian is 6 years old and attends Ladybridge County Primary School. He plays football with his brother and his favourite player is Tony Caldwell.

Come Early

Those supporters who come to watch the reserves would be well advised to be on time for the kick off. In three games so far the Wanderers have opened the scoring with only a minute on the watch. Against Wolves they grabbed two goals in the first three minutes and in the last home game against Preston George Shepherd found the net after only 43 seconds. The fastest goal on record by a Wanderers player was in a central league game against Sunderland at Burnden in December 1982. Then Ian Moores scored after only 8 seconds in a game that finally ended 1-1.

Welsh Luck

The Wanderers have been drawn at Wrexham in the first round of the FA Cup to be played on the 16th November. It will be the Wanderers 300th FA Cup tie the first one having taken place in 1882. The two sides have not faced each other before in the competition although four league visits to the racecourse have seen three Bolton victories and only one defeat.

Visits to Wales this season have proved to be very successful for the Wanderers with victories at Cardiff and Newport being the only ones on record so far. Perhaps this is a good omen for what should be an interesting cup tie.

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GUEST SPOT

JEFF CHANDLER LOOKS FORWARD TO HIS RETURN TO BURNDEN PARK

The next League game here at Burnden Park sees the return of Jeff Chandler with his new club Derby County. Jeff moved to the Baseball Ground in the summer after four years and 154 League games as a Wanderer.

Like so many other former Bolton players he still has a special affection for the club and is looking forward to his return on the 23rd.

"It's always special when you go back to a club where you've played earlier in your career. You always want to do well, to show the club and the fans that you can play.

"But coming back here to Burnden Park will be a bit special for me — I must admit.

"I've settled down well in Derby with my family and I'm enjoying myself. But I still have a feeling for Bolton Wanderers. I had four smashing years at the club.

"It's nice to be able to go back to a place where you know that you got on well with everyone, which I did at Bolton.

"I would have been happy to have stayed with the club but at the time circumstances were such that this move to Derby came along and I think anyone in my position would have done the same.

"I hope I get a good reception from the supporters because I think they were all right to me in my time at Bolton. There were problems, of course, but that was understandable when you consider the way things were going for the team in general.

"There are one or two new faces at the club but many of my old team mates are still here and I know a couple of the new signings as well. I've known Sam Allardyce for some time but in particular Wayne Entwistle.

"Enty's been a good pal of mine for a long time and I was well pleased for him when I heard he'd got a move down to Bolton.

"There have been changes a plenty at Derby since they were last at Burnden Park. Arthur Cox signed Steve McClaren from Hull City and Ross MacLaren from Shrewsbury — he's the lad who scored those two goals against us at Shrewsbury in the Milk Cup last season!

"Everyone knows Trevor Christie from his days at Notts County and Forest and Gary Mickelwhite who made his name at QPR after starting off at Manchester United.

"And one man who will need no introduction is Bobby Davison whose scoring record is brilliant.

"Like many of the Third Division sides so far this season, we've had our inconsistent spells but we've been generally pleased with our performances and we're still going strongly and confidently for promotion. Our away form so far has been very encouraging.

"One recent slip at home came when we lost to Plymouth Argyle and I'm sure Bolton fans will be interested to know that Gerry McElhinney, my old pal, played very well in that game for Plymouth.

"As I say, I'm looking forward to coming back to Burnden and I hope the game on the 23rd is an enjoyable one. I'll see you then."





ACTION

1. Penalty flashpoint as Graham Bell crashes to the ground after colliding with Swansea's Colin Randell (out of picture) and Tommy Hutchison attempts to clear the ball.
2. Steve Thompson smashes the ball into the Swansea net for what he thought was the match-winning goal, only to find the "goal" was disallowed.

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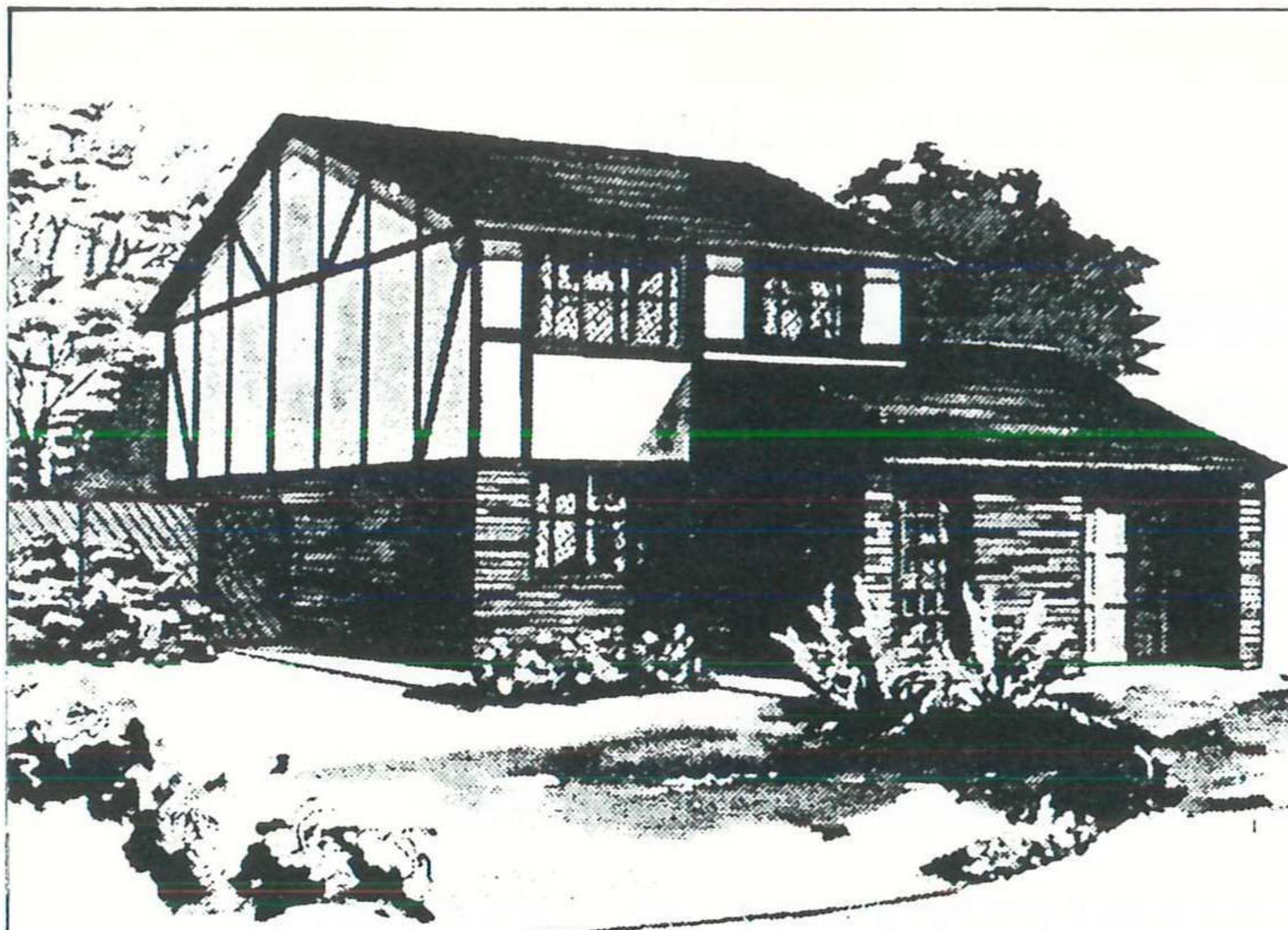
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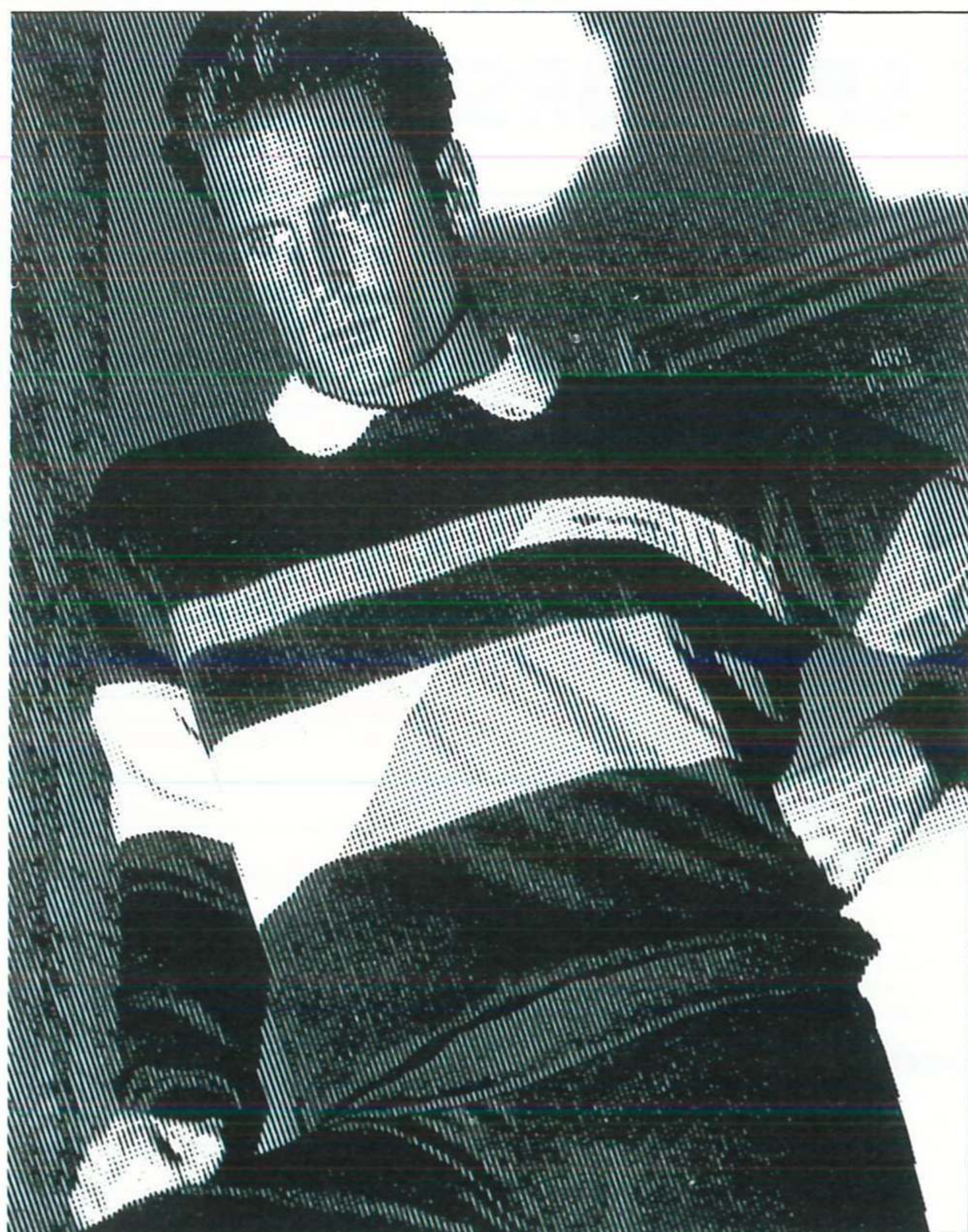
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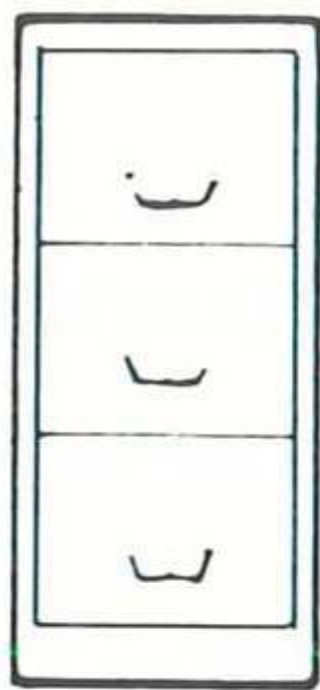


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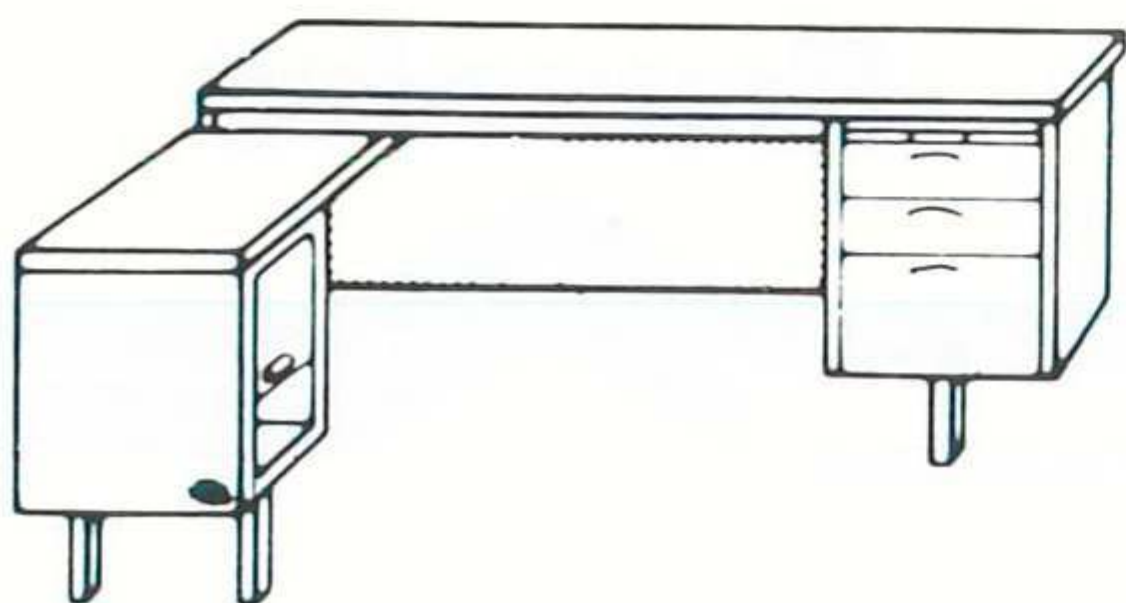
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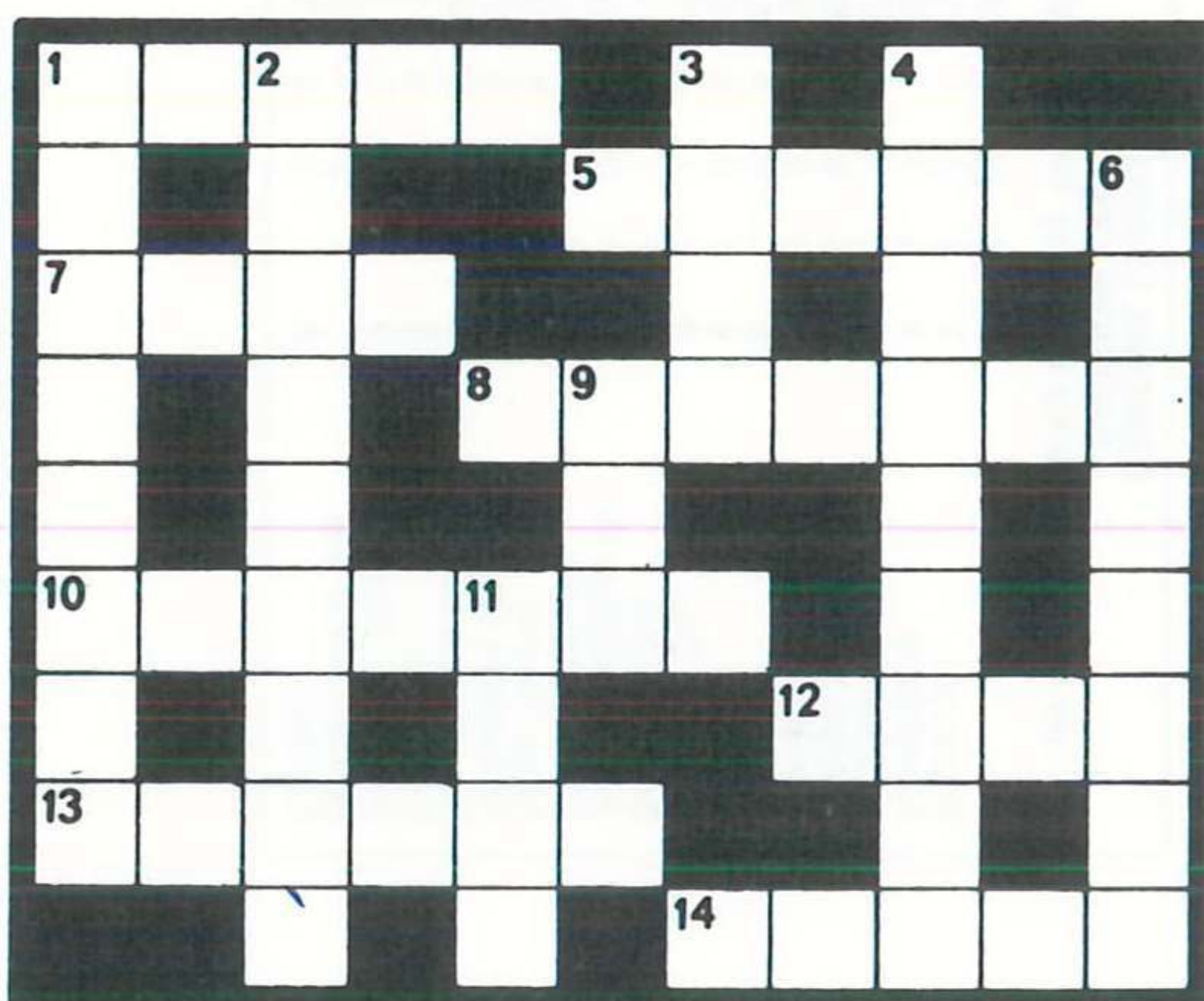
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PUZZLE PAGE

CROSSWORD No. 11

ACROSS

- One of the Campbell clan (5)
- Usual term for a soccer stadium (6)
- Wales-capped defender who was an Oxford close-season capture from Bristol Rovers (4,7)
- He topped fifty caps for Wales in his 1960s to 1980s career with Crewe, Stoke, Middlesbrough and Swansea (7)
- Score by placing the ball (4)
- Though his name is an anagram of "Slemen", soccer — not rugby — was his game . . . in fact, 300 games for Brentford (6)
- Take steps to identity — — — Park as the home of Stranraer (5)



DOWN

- Northampton newcomer in 1984/85 who finished top scorer by netting more than his aggregate for his previous four clubs! (8)
- A Liverpool contemporary of, say, Larry Lloyd, this frontish midfielder later played for Plymouth and Burnley (5,4)
- Keeper's patch (4)
- Country which has capped sometime League men Adrian Alston and John Kosmina (9)
- One of the men 'behind' a club (8)
- His managerial career includes the sequence Blackburn, Newcastle and Everton (3)
- Luke's first name (4)

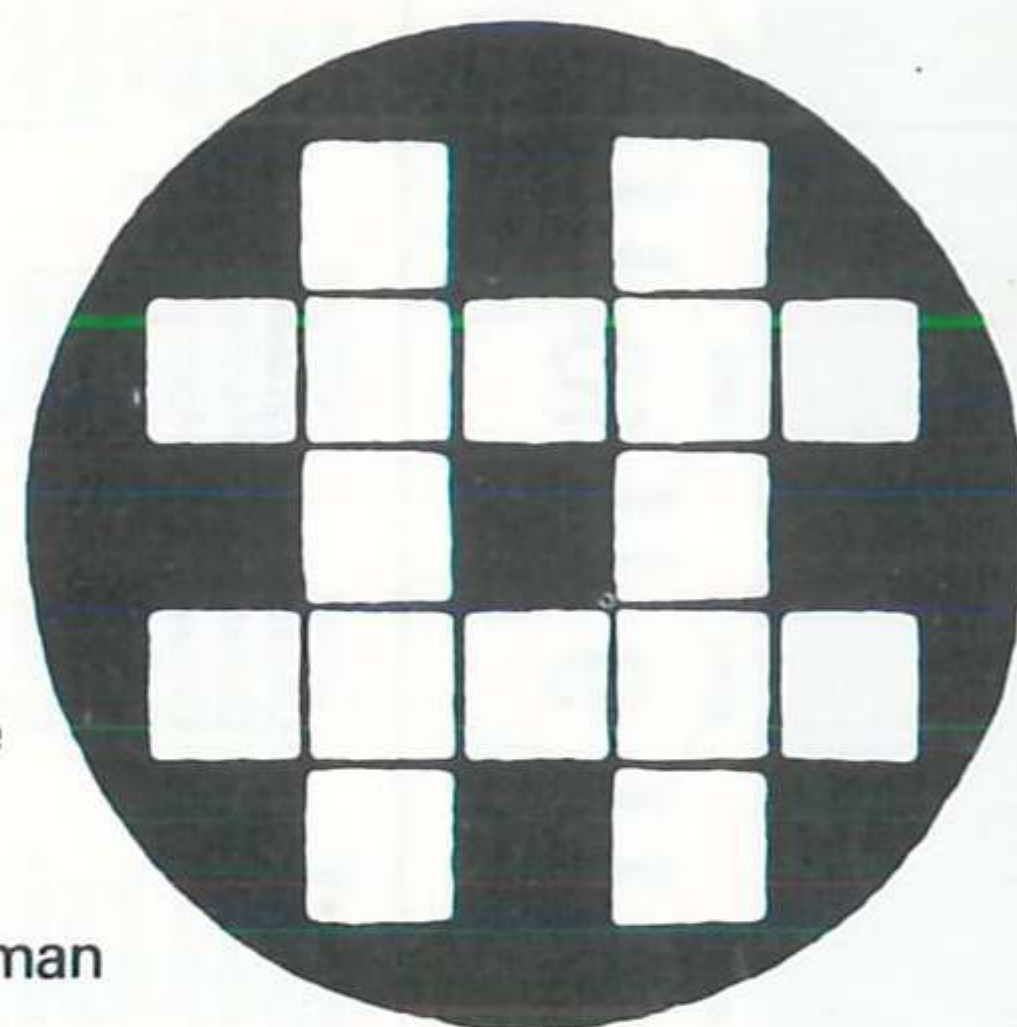
Answers to No. 10:

Across: 1 & 5dn. Tommy Docherty, 5. drew, 6. Pullar, 8. inches, 9. Tigers (Hull), 10. Barker, 12. Alex, 13. Tynan. **Down:** 1. top, 2. Molineux, 3. defence, 4. Grimsby, 5. See 1 across, 7. upfield, 11. Ron.

ANSWERS IN THE NEXT PROGRAMME

ON THE BALL No. 11

Every answer has five letters and the first one fits into the top line, but you have to decide where the rest must go.



Fairclough for instance
Test the keeper
Playing-area
Manager's right-hand man

Answers to No. 10: COLIN, FRANK, LIONS, MOORE.

QUICK QUIZ No. 11

- Who is/are uncapped by England among: Arthur, George, Jack, Leslie, Marcus, Russell, Stewart, Walter?
- In which country do many clubs' names end in '-spor'?
- On the June jaunt to Mexico England played a) Italy, b) Mexico, and c) West Germany — what were the scores?
- In which year did England first play East Germany?
- Which British club reached the semi-final of the first-ever European Cup?

Answers to No. 10

1. Poland, 2. All three in different zones, 3. Appeared in consecutive finals, 4. 8, 5. Dumfries.

SOCCER CENTURION No. 11

Tot up exactly a ton adding the numbers indicated by these clues:

- Bobby Charlton's England goals
- First World Cup final 19— —
- A Division Two season's home fixtures

Answers to No. 10. 71 + 17 + 12.

FITNESS TEST No. 11

Re-arrange all the letters of THE BLUEBIRDS to create four four-lettered words that fit the edges of the diamond.



Answers to No. 10
FRET/TOES, FORE/EGGS.

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Date	Opponents	F.A.	Att.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Aug. 17	Rotherham United	1-1	5,129	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Rudge†	Sutton	Came†	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross	Hartford	Bell	Walker
20	Stockport County (MC1 1L)	4-1	3,311	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Came†	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross ²	Hartford	Bell ¹	Oghani
24	Doncaster Rovers	1-1	3,414	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross ¹	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
26	Bury (7.30pm)	1-4	8,772	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross ¹	Hartford	Bell†	Oghani
31	Gillingham	1-2	2,773	Farnworth	Joyce	Scott	Rudge	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson†	Caldwell	Cross ¹	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
Sept. 2	Stockport County (MC1 2L)	1-1	2,573	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce†	Came	Allardyce	Thompson ²	Oghani	Cross	Hartford	Walker	Caldwell ¹
7	Wolverhampton W.	4-1	4,986	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross ²	Hartford	Oghani	Walker
14	Walsall	0-2	4,532	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
17	Lincoln City	1-1	3,928	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson ¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
21	Newport County	1-1	2,212	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
25	Nottingham Forest (MC2 1L)	0-4	10,530	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
28	Plymouth Argyle	3-1	4,270	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Oct. 1	York City	0-3	4,680	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
5	Reading	0-1	8,000	Farnworth	Scott†	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
8	Nottingham Forest (MC2 2L)	0-3	4,010	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
12	Brentford	1-2	4,106	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce ¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
19	Swansea City	1-1	3,558	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson ¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
22	Bristol Rovers	1-2	4,308	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
26	Cardiff City	1-0	2,502	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Nov. 2	A.F.C. Bournemouth	1-0	3,800	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson ¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
5	Darlington														
9	Notts County														
16	Wrexham (FAC 1)														
23	Derby County														
30	Bristol City														
Dec. 7	F.A. Cup 2														
14	Chesterfield														
21	Doncaster Rovers														
26	Blackpool														
28	Bury														
Jan. 1	Wigan Athletic														
4	A.F.C. Bournemouth (3)														
11	Gillingham														
18	Rotherham United														
25	Walsall (4)														
Feb. 1	Wolverhampton W.														
4	Bristol Rovers														
8	Swansea City														
15	Lincoln City (5)														
22	Newport County														
Mar. 1	Plymouth Argyle														
4	York City														
8	Reading (6)														
15	Brentford														
22	Cardiff City														
29	Wigan Athletic														
31	Blackpool														
Apr. 6	Darlington (SF)														
12	Notts County														
19	Derby County														
20	Milk Cup Final														
26	Bristol City														
May 3	Chesterfield														
10	F.A. Cup Final														

CENTRAL LEAGUE DIVISION TWO (up to and including Saturday 19th October 1985)										Goals	
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts				
Blackpool	9	6	2	1	23	16	20				
Sunderland	9	5	3	1	25	9	18				
Middlesbrough	8	5	2	1	25	8	17				
Bolton Wanderers	8	5	0	3	20	17	15				
Grimsby Town	9	5	0	4	20	18	15				
York City	9	5	0	4	10	14	15				
Port Vale	9	4	2	3	13	13	14				
Coventry City	9	4	1	4	17	12	13				
Bradford City	8	4	1	3	17	13	13				
Wolverhampton W.	8	4	0	4	24	24	12				
Oldham Athletic	7	3	2	2	13	13	11				
Notts County	9	3	1	5	18	19	10				
Rotherham United	9	3	1	5	16	17	10				
Scunthorpe United	9	3	1	5	14	15	10				
Stoke City	8	2	1	5	11	25	7				
Doncaster Rovers	9	1	3	5	14	22	6				
Preston North End	7	1	2	4	13	25	5				
Burnley	8	1	2	5	13	26	5				

NEXT HOME MATCHES

Central League
SCUNTHORPE UNITED
 Wednesday 6th November
 Kick-off 7.00 p.m.

F.A. Youth Cup First Round
HULL CITY
 Monday 11th November
 Kick-off 7.00 p.m.

Home matches and goalscorers in bold type. † Player substituted. ● Substitute used. ★ Own goal.

FACTS

CANON LEAGUE DIVISION THREE

(Up to and including Saturday 2nd November 1985)

	HOME		AWAY		GOALS		GOALS		
P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	L	F	A
Reading	16	7	1	0	16	7	1	13	6
Blackpool	16	5	1	2	21	7	3	14	9
York City	16	6	2	0	23	6	5	11	14
Walsall	16	5	2	1	16	6	4	10	10
Notts County	16	4	3	1	17	12	2	9	9
Brentford	16	4	3	1	10	5	4	10	17
Derby County	15	5	1	2	18	8	1	8	6
Gillingham	16	4	2	2	15	8	2	11	12
Wigan Athletic	16	6	2	0	20	4	5	4	12
Plymouth Argyle	16	5	1	2	14	6	3	10	12
Doncaster Rovers	16	4	2	2	7	5	2	11	13
Bury	16	5	2	1	22	10	4	11	16
Chesterfield	16	4	2	2	10	7	3	6	10
Bristol City	16	4	2	2	11	7	4	9	21
AFC Bournemouth	16	4	1	3	20	12	6	5	13
Bolton Wanderers	16	3	3	2	13	11	5	11	19
Bristol Rovers	16	2	3	3	8	7	4	15	22
Newport County	16	1	4	3	8	9	2	5	7
Rotherham United	16	4	2	2	12	7	5	6	15
Lincoln City	16	4	2	2	14	12	5	6	15
Swansea City	16	3	1	4	6	8	6	9	20
Wolverhampton W.	16	2	2	4	12	17	1	10	22
Cardiff City	16	1	1	6	5	13	5	8	18
Darlington	15	2	2	3	15	17	7	5	23

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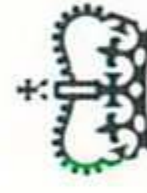


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Date	Opponents	Goals F A
1985		
Aug.	21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	6-4
	28 Rotherham United	3-1
Sept.	3 Grimsby Town	1-2
	11 Middlesbrough	0-3
	18 Port Vale	3-1
	24 Blackpool	1-5
Oct.	2 Stoke City	4-0
	16 York City	2-1
	23 Preston North End	1-1
	30 Coventry City	1-2
Nov.	6 Scunthorpe United	
	12 Burnley	
	20 Sunderland	
	26 Notts County	
Dec	4 Doncaster Rovers	
	10 Bradford City	
	18 Grimsby Town	
1986		
Jan	13 Wolverhampton Wanderers	
	21 Middlesbrough	
Feb.	29 Rotherham United	
	3 Oldham Athletic	
	5 York City	
	11 Preston North End	
	19 Port Vale	
	26 Blackpool	
Mar.	5 Stoke City	
	12 Oldham Athletic	
	19 Scunthorpe United	
	26 Coventry City	
Apr.	2 Burnley	
	8 Sunderland	
	16 Notts County	
	23 Doncaster Rovers	
	30 Bradford City	



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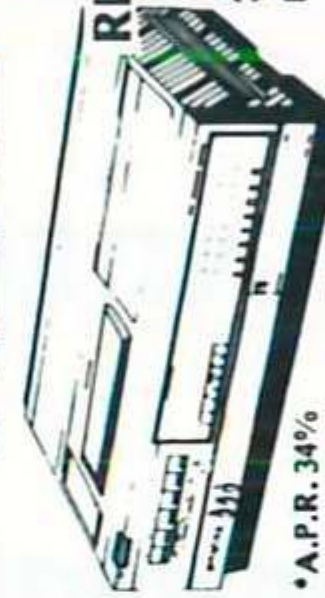
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4. Steve Thompson
5. Derek Scott
6. Sam Allardyce
7. Roger Walker
8. Tony Caldwell
9. Wayne Entwistle
10. Asa Hartford
11. Graham Bell
- 12.

DARLINGTON

Yellow and Blue

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2. Chris Evans
3. Gary Morgan
4. Steve Tupling
5. John Green
6. Gary Pallister
7. Malcolm Poskett
8. Paul Ward
9. Carl Airey
10. Garry MacDonald
11. Dave McLean
- 12.

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HOWARD TAYLOR

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F	SWANSEA CITY CHESTERFIELD
G	WALSALL CARDIFF CITY
H	WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS BLACKPOOL
I	BURNLEY MANSFIELD TOWN
J	CREWE ALEXANDRA ORIENT
K	NORTHAMPTON TOWN TRANMERE ROVERS
L	PRESTON NORTH END SCUNTHORPE UNITED
M	ROCHDALE EXETER CITY
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